

# United States Court of Appeals For the First Circuit

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No. 24-8019

MELISSA DOUGLAS; THOMAS AIKINS; SARA KAHL, on behalf of themselves and all  
others similarly situated,

Plaintiffs - Petitioners,

NATALIA GRABOVSKY, an individual person on behalf of herself and all others similarly  
situated; JOHN ROCHFORT; ERICA SHARAR; SARA ADAMSKI; RHEANNON  
ANDROCKITIS; PATRICIA BONDS; MELISSA COOK; ERIN HAZELWOOD; DANIELLA  
HOLMES; DAVID LUCAS; TRACEY MADDEN; WENDY STOTSENBURG; ERIN GEIST,

Plaintiffs,

v.

EF INSTITUTE FOR CULTURAL EXCHANGE, INC., a California corporation; EF  
EDUCATION FIRST INTERNATIONAL, LTD.; EF EXPLORE AMERICA, INC.,

Defendants - Respondents,

EF EDUCATION FIRST INTERNATIONAL, AG, a Swiss corporation, a/k/a EF Education  
First International, Ltd.,

Defendant.

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Before

Montecalvo, Kayatta and Rikelman,  
Circuit Judges.

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## JUDGMENT

Entered: December 9, 2024

Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 23(f), the plaintiff-petitioners seek leave from this court to appeal the district court's denial of class certification. We conclude that the requirements for interlocutory review of a class certification ruling have not been met here. See

Waste Mgmt. Holdings, Inc. v. Mowbray, 208 F.3d 288, 293-94 (1st Cir. 2000) (setting out factors to be considered when deciding whether to allow review pursuant to Rule 23(f)). Accordingly, the petition for leave to appeal is **DENIED**.

By the Court:

Anastasia Dubrovsky, Clerk

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